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HISTORY TOLD IN FLOWERS

Writer Regrets Changes That Have Been Made in Names So Thoroughly Expressive.

Just the old names that nurses used to call them, often not the real names, but reminding one that a whole history of old England lies wrapped up in the petals of a lily, and it is well to record them before they are forgotten or corrupted. Nurse's idea of the pronunciation of "ivy" was not exact. If anyone had rumbled his hair after her careful and sometimes painful ministrations, she would declare he looked "like an owl in an ivory bush." And so with gilly-flower, and many other names; just a little turn of rhetoric and the meaning is lost, for every flower should paint a picture, in words, as it does by its perfume and beauty. Love-in-a-mist, Mary's-gold, collins-and-cream, and the prettiest of them all, shepherd's-purse, and the seed-pods of honesty. The little pimpernel, the poor-man's-weather-glass, with its long name—John-go-to-bed-at-noon—is a prettier name than barometer, and traveler's-joy tells the tale of a cottage in sight and home at last. Lady's-smock or milk-maids, or cuckoo-pint all belong to the bitter-cress, and lords-and-ladies to the wild arum, though Jack-in-the-pulpit is more descriptive, if not so picturesque.—Christian Science Monitor.

INDEFINITE



"These poets are so indefinite." "How now?" "Why, the poet tells us that Lars Persena of Clusium sat in his ivory car. Stalled somewhere, of course. But we never learn whether he was hung up on account of tire trouble or lack of gasoline."

HAVE UP-TO-DATE NAMES.

There is a town of Pickford in North America. An announcement stating that the city of Grand Rapids, Wis., was contemplating changing its name to that of "Pickford," brought forth a letter from northern Alberta showing that on the railway between Edmonton and the Athabaska Landing was a little town called "Pickford." The station agent's wife wrote that it was but a small place near an Indian village, but that it had been there for several years, and that sometimes twice a month they had moving pictures. Curiously enough, the next town is "Chaplin," also another trading post, and, according to the map, Fairbanks is not so far away.

STEEL WOOL FOR ALUMINUM.

The manufacturers of a cleanser for aluminum utensils comment on a recently published advice to use a mixture of ammonia and borax, if one must polish it, that this mixture, unless used very carefully, has a tendency to eat into the metal, especially when used constantly. The best way to keep it bright is to clean it with steel wool and soap. The cleanser made by these manufacturers is a combination of these.

WILD BOAR PRIZE ENOUGH.

The French ministry of agriculture had a prize of fifty francs for every wild boar weighing over thirty kilograms that was killed and of ten francs for every little one. It has just withdrawn this, giving as the reason that, with all meat at such high prices, the flesh of a wild boar ought to be quite sufficient reward for killing it.

AN ADDED CHANCE.

"Why do you insist on picking out a pretty girl for a clerk?" "A homely girl isn't always competent." "Well?" "Now, if I pick out a pretty girl, one of the men clerks will do her work."

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NO EXCUSE FOR UGLINESS

Man Who Today Builds an Unattractive or Commonplace House is Behind the Times.

There is no excuse in these days for building an ugly or commonplace house. A generation ago not many capable architects were available, especially in the western country. Even when they were, the prevailing taste ran to frills of turrets and flag-staff work. The beauty of simplicity was not known, and the architect who stood out for it often found his client obdurate.

All that has changed. A comparison of the built of the houses built in the eighties and nineties with those of more recent years will reveal how far the country has come. The number of competent architects has increased, and of even greater importance, the stock of sound architectural ideas has been widely diffused.

Books and magazine articles on the subject have multiplied amazingly. The prospective builder sought, of course, to avail himself of the services of a good architect. But even if he fails to do this he can find in the public library excellent designs to meet his needs.

City Planning Public's Business.
Real city planning is neither a private enterprise nor a move for "the city beautiful." It is primarily a business enterprise and its benefits accrue to the public at large. A planning commission, with the aid both of planning experts and the city government, cannot hope to succeed in its work without the aid of the public.

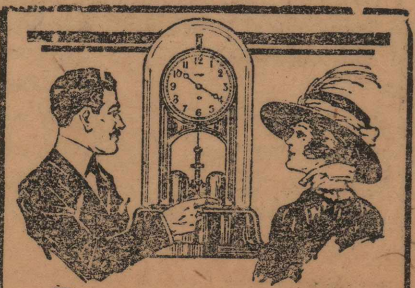
The fact that planning must be made popular was emphasized at an important session of the realtors' convention. Whatever method is adopted, a planning commission, after first carefully preparing its plans must "sell" its ideas and aims to the people. Through constant publicity the public must be educated to see the needs and the benefits of a businesslike ordering of the city's development, and must be made to share the labor involved and to contribute to the cost.—Exchange.

Stagger Imagination.

Suggestions of distances more and more inconceivable are a feature of recent astronomical investigations. In studying the parallax of a sixth magnitude star, Dr. Robert Trumpler has found a tenth magnitude star more than eight minutes of arc from it that has the same large proper motion and the same parallax, and he concludes that the two stars must undoubtedly be connected. They are separated by not less than 13,200 times the distance of the earth from the sun. Revolving in a circular orbit around a common center, they must require hundreds of thousands of years to complete a single revolution, and yet they are so remote from the multitude of other star systems that there is no interference with their companionship.

"Ball" Lightning.

Occasionally readers report having seen or heard of a thunderbolt falling in some place, or an account appears of the damage done by a thunderbolt. Very often this can be accounted for by certain forms of lightning, particularly that known as "ball" lightning. The "ball" is probably an isolated sphere of ozone gas containing a considerable amount of energy stored in it by the action of electricity during a thunder storm, which falls earthwards as a luminous ball after a severe flash of lightning, and explodes with extreme violence on nearing the earth. The energy thus liberated is capable of causing all the damage attributed to "thunderbolts."



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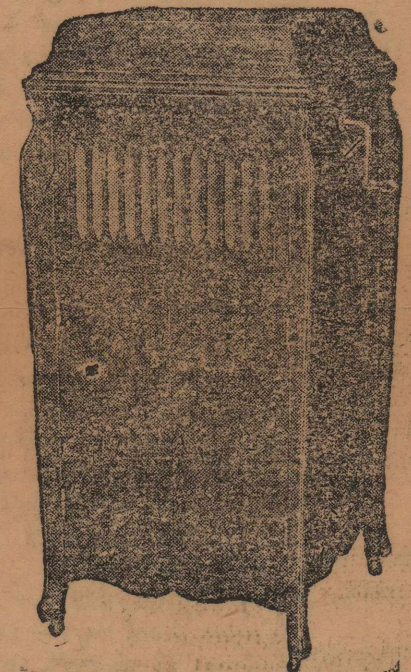
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Henry Ford says:—"The war is over and it is time war prices were over. There is no sense or wisdom in trying to maintain an artificial standard of values. For the best interests of all it is time a real practical effort was made to bring the business of the country and the life of the country down to regular prewar standards."

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Horse & Mule Sale a Success.

The Horse and Mule auction sale at San Angelo conducted by A. F. McAlister & S. E. Boss Horse & Mule Co., last week was a big success. Four hundred horses and mules were sold at an average price of \$115 per head. One team of horses sold for \$309 and a span of mules for \$575. A. F. McAlister of the Brown wood yard and a member of the firm was auctioneer and C. C. Guilwell of the San Angelo barn, who is well known to Sonora horse raisers, gave the offerings his personal attention. It is proposed to hold another auction at an early date.

Don Cooper sold to Author Simmons 400 lambs at \$8 per head.

RAMS FOR SALE—High-grade Rambouillet yearling rams for sale at ranch near Merzon. Phone or write, W. E. NEWTON, Merzon, Texas.

Fred and Joe Berger went to San Angelo Monday and bought from the J. E. Smith Live Stock Co., of Pilot Point, Oregon, two registered Delaine rams at \$125 each.

Thomas Bond is offering for sale a number of High Grade Merino-Romney rams at a very low figure. They are good stuff for the man with a small flock or one who is raising a certain class of rams for sale. The price may be a consideration to you but is not to Mr. Bond as he wishes to dispose of the rams at once and has made a price that should prove them at once.

The San Angelo Standard reports the sale of 800 yearling Hereford steers, dehorned, at \$50 per head. The cattle were sold by Frank Ingham and James Poole of Midland to T. J. Webb of Tennyson and his son Jones Webb of Upton county.

The Texas Department of Agriculture estimates that in 1919 there were 2,232,000 sheep in Texas of an average value of \$9.40 per head. The report should have been carried further and it would show 17,756,000 pounds of wool of a value of \$8,376,000 which would bring the value of the sheep in Texas to be \$20,980,800 or sheep and wool \$30,000,000 on which taxes is paid but the industry completely ignored if legislation in its interest is asked.

It is being told that a cattle man of Crockett county offered his neighbor across the Pecos, \$75 for a bunch of three year old steers. The price was refused and the steers shipped and sold on the Fort Worth market at about \$65 net. The man who first offered \$75 on the range bought them on the market and brought them back to the range and they will cost him near his original offer. The steers are not any better for having made the long trip to and from Fort Worth. Is there a moral to this?

Delegates appointed by the Sheep & Goat Raisers Association to attend the Southern Tariff Congress which meets in New Orleans October 11th are: Roy Hudspeth and Judge James Cornell of Sonora, E. E. Stricklen of Juno, J. B. Moore of San Antonio, Frank Baker of Junction, Brown F. Lee of Broome. The Association is preparing data for the use of the Delegates and the Secretary, Geo. M. Thurmond of Del Rio asks members of the Association to communicate with him on the subject.

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THOMAS BOND,
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Fred Berger sold to Author Simmons 212 lambs at \$8 per head.
Fred Berger sold to Eden & Cocks 130 ewes at \$13.50.

Robert Hattberg sold to Wiley Holland 30 head of yearling Rambouillet at \$40 per head.

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Bucks for Sale.

200 head of Rambouillet Bucks 1 and 2 years old out of Registered Bucks and some of the best bred ewes in Ohio. These bucks are from the herd of G. F. Billings of Roswell, New Mexico.
Henry Sharp,
San Angelo, Texas.

The Sonora Motor Company, the authorized Ford dealers have in stock several Ford cars trucks and tractors that can be delivered now at the New Reduced price. The Ford factory is still far behind on its orders and if you contemplate buying you should take advantage of the stock on hand.

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W. J. FIELDS, Sonora, Texas.

HEREFORD CATTLE FOR SALE.

Here is a nice start for an enterprising young cattleman. Because of engaging in other business John F. Allison, of Menard, is offering to sell his herd of Registered Hereford cattle. In a letter to Will Wilson of Sonora, who knows the stock, he says he has 38 grown cows, bred; 18 coming two year old heifers that will be ready to breed by the first of May next; 12 bull calves that will commence being yearlings in Oct; 15 Spring calves and two Herd Bulls. He will sell all or part of them, excepting the Herd Bulls which should go with the cows.

The offspring of these cattle brought fancy prices last spring and anyone intending to engage in the raising of fine Herefords should see or write.

JOHN F. ALLISON,
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ANNOUNCEMENT.

I am a candidate for election to the office of Treasurer of Sutton county at the election in November and ask for your vote and influence.

H. V. STOKER.

I have been reliably informed that E. W. Hardgrave will not be a candidate at the general election and therefore announce as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer. I will appreciate the support of the voters and if elected will faithfully discharge the duties of the office.

SALLIE WARDLAW.

To the Voters of Sutton County: Having decided to enter the race for the office of Treasurer of Sutton County, subject to the voice of the people at the general election in November, I wish to respectfully ask the support and good will of the voters of the county.

If I should be your choice for County Treasurer, will assure you that the duties of the office will be faithfully performed, and the welfare of the people zealously guarded. I will personally put my best efforts into the work and endeavor by every means in my power to merit the trust and confidence of your votes.

Yours very sincerely,
Mrs. A. J. Smith.

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All Resolutions of Respect, Cards of Thanks, Notices of Entailments were an admission fee is charged. Etc. will be charged for at our regular advertising rates.

Blank Line for Treasures on Democratic Ticket.

It is customary for the Democratic Executive committee when a vacancy occurs in the office or nominee for office to select some one as the party candidate to fill the vacancy. In the case of the intended removal of Earl... grave from the county and the fact that there are three and may be more candidates for the office of County Treasurer of Sutton county, the Executive Committee has decided to let it be a sweep stake race. On the official ballot there will be a blank line where the office of Treasurer is indicated on the Democratic ticket and in this space voters may write the name of the candidate of their choice. There being no nominee the names of all candidates for the office of County Treasurer will be printed in the "Independent" or no party column. The many new voters in this general election should make enquiries of their friends who have had previous experience in such matters so as to enable them to vote intelligently. By voting intelligently we mean to be able to have your vote count as you intend it should. There will be a number of tickets on the official ballot, all on the same sheet of paper, and care must be exercised particularly if the voter wishes to cast what is known as a split ticket.

Frank Decker, Notary Public Sutton County, Texas.

John Bobbitt who has resided in this county but resides in Eldorado was a visitor in town Tuesday.

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Wiley Holland who ranches 15 miles south of town was here Tuesday on business.

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Miss Bertha Pfister who is attending a business college in San Angelo spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pfister.

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Pal Martin of Whitehat, Motley county, was in Sonora this week visiting his brothers, Sid and John Martin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Jones and Mrs. Terrey Walker were in town Friday from the ranch in the Middle Valley country.

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Billie Cauthorn who ranches on the head of the Middle Valley draw was a business visitor in town Saturday.

Owners of horses and blooded stock are large users of Liquid Borzoxone. It heals wounds, festering sores, burns, cuts by a mild power that leaves no dirt on the skin. Price 30 cents and \$1.20. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Mina Adams were visitors in town Friday from their home on the North Llano. Mrs. Adams has recovered her customary good health.

BANISH BLOOD SUCKING INSECTS and keep your chickens immune from them by feeding Martins INSECTICIDAL to your chickens. Your money back if not absolutely satisfied. Ask Sonora Trainer Co.

Sunday the 26th will be the 10th anniversary of the founding of the city of Sonora. Special services will be held at Methodist and Baptist churches on that day.

Highway Engineers Examine the Route.

F. P. Sexton of Fort Worth, representing the Federal Highway Department, James F. Pirie of Ballinger, district engineer for the State Highway Department, were in Sonora Wednesday conferring with Messrs. Vaughan & Foster road engineers for Sutton county. The Federal and State Engineers examined and approved the route of the preliminary survey for the highway from Sonora to the Schleicher county line where a satisfactory connection will be made with the road to Eldorado and San Angelo. The route of the proposed road crosses the Main Devil's River draw in the Hurst pasture and keeps to the west side of the waterway to the R. W. Davis ranch and shortens the distance to that point about a fifth of a mile, besides eliminating three crossings from the Davis ranch to the six mile gate on the right of the road the course is practically the same as the present road and then goes to the right up the old Neeley draw to the line of Schleicher county.

This brings the road onto better ground in the Thomson pasture and straightens the highway into the present eight mile lane. At the end of the lane the route is again straightened into Eldorado. It will require actual measurement to determine the distance saved but it will probably be about two miles in the two counties besides putting the road on higher ground where the cost of maintenance will be much less. The principal expense in making the change through the Hurst pasture will be the erection of a bridge but as this bridge will also be used for the Ozona road and as such a crossing has long been necessary it will only be the first cost that will amount to anything.

G. P. Hill was in town Wednesday from the ranch.

G. R. Warren, Notary Public at T. Benson office.

Orvil Word is visiting his brother Frank Word at Quanah.

Born at Del Rio on Friday Sept. 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Martin a daughter.

Jas. L. McDonald of Orange, was here this week on business and meeting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Shurley were in town Tuesday from the ranch in the Franks De'eat country.

R. C. McCollum who ranches four miles south of town was here Saturday and made the News office an appreciated visit.

You want a first-class saddle. We sell the famous R. V. Frazier saddle, made at Pueblo, Colorado. Call and see them, at the Sonora Mercantile Co.

August Meckel of Angelo, one of our former ranchmen, was here Sunday on a visit to his sons Ben and Harry Meckel.

The R. T. Frazier, Pueblo, Colorado, saddles are sold by the Sonora Mercantile Co.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Davis were here from Austin this week because of the serious illness of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Tom Davis.

A cross, sickly baby suffering from scurvy, diphtheria and measles was brought to the Sonora Mercantile Co. by Mrs. J. E. Robb. The baby is now healthy and strong. Price 30 cents and 50 cents. Sold by the Sonora Drug Co.

J. T. Evans and H. W. Evans of San Antonio were here this week. They are on their way to Tampico, Mexico on a business and pleasure trip.

For skin eruptions, rash, chafed skin, buggy fever, chigger bites and stings of poisonous insects, Balar's Sore Relievent is an effective application. It heals quickly. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

Mrs. Thomas Morris of Reagan Well, Uvalde county, was the guest of Mrs. Henry Decker for a few days last week and is now visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Robbins on the ranch in the east, end part of the county. Mrs. Morris came here to attend her son Roy Morris who was injured on the Robbins ranch a short time ago. The young man's leg was badly bruised and slightly crushed by the horse he was riding running into another horse and he was taken to San Angelo where he is receiving treatment.



The Ford Sedan is high class in appearance and appointments. The seats are restful, and deeply upholstered with cloth of high quality. Large doors give convenient entrance on either side; plate glass windows make it a closed car for inclement weather, and give fresh air when open. With high quality in appearance and equipment there is the simple and safe control in driving. A woman's—a family car for every day in the year.

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THE SONORA GARAGE.

"Who Goes 'Over The Top' And Why?"

The above caption is the subject of the sermon at the Methodist church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. S. C. Dunn. He is exceedingly anxious for the High School pupils to hear his morning address, as well as the one at night, at 8 p.m., when the subject will be: "Tell me the way to Joyville?" Did you hear the announcement that next Sunday is "Go to Sunday School and go the Church Day?" sure it is and we are counting on you. Last Sunday we had 136 at Sunday school. Another real treat is to be given by the children under the direction of Mrs. Seward and Mrs. O'Connor, and you can't afford to miss it—special music solos and duets, readings and special sermons. Come on real early, bring your family, your friends and your company. Put the chicken on to cook and then ask the preacher home with you for dinner. That will make a nice climax for the day.

Mrs. E. C. Beam was a visitor in town Thursday from the ranch in Eldorado county.

F. A. Moody and S. J. Shanklin of Rooksprings were here this week wanting to buy a few steers.

Mrs. Robert Kelley was in town for a few days this week the guest of her mother Mrs. Valliant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Shurley were in town Thursday from the ranch 15 miles south of Sonora.

The greatest enemy of child life is the tape worm. It destroys health and vitality. The greatest enemy of the tape worm is White's Cream Vermifuge. One or two doses does the work. Price 25 cents. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

Jack McDummitt of San Angelo representing the Angelo Furniture Company was visiting the people here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Halbert took their daughter Della Rose Halbert to San Antonio this week where she will attend school.

The T. L. Benson Agency is exhibiting a punkin that weighs 93 pounds. It grew on the Roy Rees ranch.

Robert A. Halbert was in town Tuesday from his ranch west of here. He requested that we stop advertising his rams for sale as he has sold most of them.

A very enjoyable dance was attended by a large number of young people at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Merriman in west Sonora Saturday night.

W. R. Stumberg of San Angelo representing E. B. Chandler of San Antonio and San Angelo, was here Saturday on his way to Rooksprings on land business.

A busy no-account feeling with yawn, drowsiness in the day time is caused by a torpid liver and disordered bowels. Heber's is a splendid remedy for such ailments. It cleanses the system and restores vim and activity. Price 60 cents. Sold by Sonora Drug Co.

Mrs. John Lee Nisbet who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Aldwell, here for a few weeks, left for her home in Dallas Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Haggitt of Junction were here this week because of the serious illness of their daughter, Mrs. Tom Davis. At last accounts Mrs. Davis was much improved but not out of danger.

Baptist Church Services Sunday

Next Sunday, Sept. 26th, is "Go to Church Sunday" everywhere. We are expecting the largest attendance we have had during the year. The following program will be carried out as far as possible: Sunday school hour readings, recitations, etc., by the school. Eleven o'clock, sermon by the pastor. Eight o'clock p.m., sermon by the pastor. This will be the third sermon of the "Things We Live By" series. The subject will be "Love" A feature of these services will be "Roll Call" at the forenoon hour. Let every member be present to answer to his name.

CENSUS REPORT.

Sutton County—1880, 1398, 1910, 15, 9, 1300, 1, 27.
Precinct 1, including the town of Sonora, 1920, 1360, 1910, 1601, 1900, 955.
Precinct 2, 1920, 68, 1910, 160, 1900, 229.
Precinct 3, 1920, 160, 1910, 221, 1901, 23.
Precinct 4, 1920, 70, 1910, 177, 1900, 230.
Sonora [Incorporated] 1606.

W. W. Mace the Post Stockton's reception man was a visitor here Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Vaughan left for her old home in Round Rock last week on a visit to her mother.

E. M. Bradley of Eldorado was in Sonora Thursday wanting to buy a few horses.

Mrs. Berry Baker accompanied her daughter Miss Myrtle this week to San Angelo where she will remain to study at the Convent school.

John Fields left on Tuesday for Nashville, Tenn., where he will enter the Vanderbilt University.

John F. Baker of Junction was in Sonora Monday on his way home from delivering a bunch of sheep to Frank Baker.

Mrs. Sam Luckie and daughter Miss Ethel Luckie were in from the ranch in the Owensville country Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. Theo Savell and daughter, Miss Velma Savell returned Tuesday from a visit to San Angelo. They had gone there Saturday to take Miers Savell and Will Miers that far on their way to Austin where they will attend the Texas University.

F. M. Fathner returned Thursday from San Angelo where he attended District Court as prosecuting witness in the case of the State vs. J. L. Wilson. The indictment was quashed and the case dismissed. Mr. Fathner's family is now at Canyon for the school term and he says the crops have been good in Randall county and the farmers are now selling last year's crops at a profit of \$2.15 per bushel and as a consequence money is in circulation and trade good.

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

On account of a 200 per cent advance of fuel oil, 50 per cent advance on all lubricating oils, we have been forced to make an advance of 25 per cent on our lights and water with the exception of the metered water customers on which there will be only a 20 per cent advance, but a reduction in the amount of water allowed from 5,000 to 3,000 gallons. Water used in excess of the 3,000 gallons will be charged for at the rate of 45 cents per 1000 gallons.
SONORA LIGHT & WATER CO.

LIBERTY BONDS AT CURRENT PRICES.

The Liberty Bond issues of the Government, with their tax exemption features, yield from 4.34 to 5 percent on the investment. These bonds MAY sell lower but are now very cheap and eventually WILL sell at much higher prices, insuring a splendid profit if held to maturity. They are backed by the credit and good faith of the greatest nation in the world, and by every resource within its boundaries. They will be paid in full.

We recommend their immediate purchase and their retention to maturity.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
Sonora, Texas.

ANTHRAX VACCINE

MULFORD AGGRESSINE

BLACKLEG VACCINE (natural)

SONORA DRUG STORE.

SONORA WOMAN'S CLUB.

Course of Study.

October 2, 1929—Guest Day—Everybody invited.
"With the faults and failures of past years be done
With a grip of fresh friend hip-b this year begun."
Roll call—
What have you been?
What have you read?
What have you done?
Report of Calendar Committee—

CLUB NOTES.

The Music Department of the Sonora Woman's Club meets at the Club Hall, October 1st, 1930.

PROGRAM.

"And hears thy stormy music in the drum."
Study Subject—"Who wrote the Patriotic Song?"—Mrs. T. A. Williams.

Roll Call—Current Events from the World of Music.—Miss Estelle McDonald, Miss Ray Davis.
Round Table Discussions.

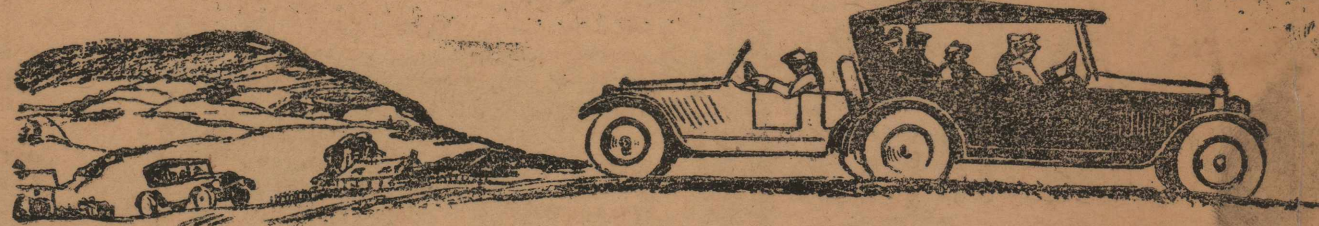
Mr. and Mrs. Sol Kelley were in from the ranch Thursday.

T. D. Word and daughter Miss Nettie were in from the ranch on the west side of Sutton Wednesday visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Morris were in town for a few days this week from the ranch in the Junction country.

Mrs. J. W. Reiley of Angelo was here Wednesday visiting her sons J. P. and Dantie Reiley on the ranches in the Owensville country. Mr. and Mrs. Dantie Reiley and baby were in town with her Wednesday.

Silas Lard of the firm of Shipman & Lard monument dealers of San Angelo, and R. F. Davis were in Sonora a few days this week erecting a monument over the grave of L. P. Valliant and placing the foundations for the monuments for Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wyatt and A. W. Cauthorn.



Look at the roads for twenty miles around on a Sunday

THERE isn't any "country" any more. The automobile has brought the most remote settlement almost as close to the center of things as the next county was in the old days.

They make no distinction between the *small car owner* and the owner of the *biggest car in the country*.

It's all the same to them. So long as a man owns an automobile—large or small—he's entitled to the *very best tire* they can give him.

Quality has always been the *outstanding feature* of U. S. Tires. There's *no limit* on the U. S. guarantee. All U. S. Tires are guaranteed *for the life of the tire*.

We have given a lot of thought to this tire proposition. There is some advantage in being the representatives of the oldest and largest rubber concern in the world.

Drop in the next time you're down this way and let us tell you some interesting facts about tires.

To hear some tire dealers talk you might think that nobody knew anything about tires except the fellow from Broadway.

That's not the basis we go on.

We give every man credit for knowing *what he is spending his money on*, whether he drives up here in his small car from ten miles out in the country or is passing through from the capital in his limousine.

That's one thing we like about U. S. Tires.

Select your tires according to the roads they have to travel:
In sandy or hilly country, wherever the going is apt to be heavy—The U. S. Nobby.
For ordinary country roads—The U. S. Chain or Usco.
For front wheels—The U. S. Flats.
For best results—everywhere—U. S. Royal Cords.



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THE COMMERCIAL HOTEL,

MRS. JOSIE McDONALD, Proprietress.

Rates \$3.50 Per Day.

HEADQUARTERS FOR COMMERCIAL MEN.

Best accommodations, Rates Reasonable.

Sonora, Texas.

IS YOUR HEALTH

GRADUALLY SLIPPING?

Interesting Experience of a Texas Lady Who Declares That if More Women Knew About Cardui They Would Be Spared Much Sickness and Worry.

Navasota, Texas.—Mrs. W. M. Peden, of this place, relates the following interesting account of how she recovered her strength, having realized that she was actually losing her health:

"Health is the greatest thing in the world, and when you feel that gradually slipping away from you, you certainly sit up and take notice. That is what I did some time ago when I found myself in a very nervous, run-down condition of health. I was so tired and felt so listless I could hardly go at all.

"I was just no account for work. I would get a bucket of water and would before I felt like I could lift it. In this condition, of course, to do even my housework was a task almost impossible to accomplish.

"I was . . . nervous and easily upset.

I couldn't rest well at night and was . . . just listless.

"I heard of Cardui and after reading I decided I had some female trouble that was pulling me down. I sent for Cardui and began it . . .

"In a very short while after I began the Cardui Home Treatment I saw an improvement and it wasn't long until I was all right—good appetite, splendid rest, and much stronger so that I easily did my house work.

"Later I took a bottle of Cardui as a tonic. I can recommend Cardui and gladly do so, for if more women knew, it would save a great deal of worry and sickness."

The enthusiastic praise of thousands of other women who have found Cardui helpful should convince you that it is worth trying. All druggists sell it.

MARKET NOTICE.

We desire to notify our customers and the public generally that we cannot extend the monthly pay plan to those who do not settle their obligations before the 10th of each month. It should not be necessary to specify any reason for the observance of this requirement. Please arrange to pay before the 10th of each month if you desire the monthly pay system.

COOPER & SIMS.

Announcement of the

WOOL GROWERS CENTRAL STORAGE CO.,
SAN ANGELO, TEXAS.

We wish to advise our Customers, and all those who are contemplating the consigning of their wool, that we are going to store the Sutton County and Sonora Country wool separately and sell it on the merits of Sutton County wool.

J. S. ALLISON, Vice-President.

West Texas Lumber Co

SONORA, TEXAS

QUALITY and SERVICE.



It's high time folks quit trying to keep up with the Joneses, Sammy says. Folks with two-bit incomes shouldn't try to act like their grandmother had died and left them the Bank of England. Lots of folks are wearing their salaries on their backs while their grocer is charging up their accounts to the profit and loss column.

A War Savings Stamp or two gotten at the postoffice every payday means more in the long run—and life is a long old run, Sammy Saver says.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK
SAYS 753,960 BOUGHT
FOURTH LIBERTY BONDS

Dallas, Texas.—When the Fourth Liberty Loan Drive was on in the Eleventh Federal Reserve District 753,960 persons bought bonds, according to Dinsmore W. Hume, Savings Director of Dallas. The entire amount, value of 3 1/2% bonds they bought was \$145,888,525. Interest on these bonds is due semiannually the next payment coming October 15, 1920. At that time the interest to be paid will be \$3,102,231.15. A like sum will be payable on March 15, 1921. Regret has been expressed in banking circles that many bond owners have never presented their interest coupons for payment, as is contemplated by the government.

OUIJA MIGHT TELL.

"Hubby, I believe I'll buy a ouija board."

"Don't do it."

"Why?"

"The Glippings next door will be sure to borrow it and I don't want the darned thing to be telling family secrets."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

JUST STARTING.

Young Multirox—I'm engaged to Tottie Tonsils, the musical comedy star. Just paid \$2,000 for the engagement ring.

Old Hardfax—It wouldn't be so bad if you could only break the engagement that cheap.

DEVIL'S RIVER OIL & GAS COMPANY

(INCORPORATED)

SITUATED IN EDWARDS COUNTY, TEXAS.

DOES THINGS DIFFERENT.

STUDY OUR PLAN.

A careful study of the Devil's River Oil & Gas Company's plan will convince the close student of investments that we are offering the BEST inducement in the OIL fields. Oil production in Texas fades the total gold production of Alaska in its best days into insignificance. Alaska's best production of gold was only \$15,000,000.00, while Texas is producing about \$150,000,000.00 worth of oil. The production is increasing so rapidly that it is conservatively estimated that the output will be close to \$300,000,000.00 in 1920.

NOW is the time to get in the oil business in order to reap the early harvest. With 600 acres of oil lands to draw from, we anticipate making big profits on our most liberal plan, PROFITS that will make fast friends for our company in future enterprises which we have in mind when The Company's present plans are in operation.

DO NOT DELAY your subscriptions. There is nothing to gain and MUCH to lose by deferring until some future date. NOW is the time to INVEST, and OUR company is the ONE to be in, for it gives you the biggest run for your money in the race for MILLIONS.

Fill in the subscription blanks NOW and sail in the good ship PROSPERITY.

See our Agent,

GEO. J. TRAINER.

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COLUMBIA RECORDS

NEEDLES FOR ALL MAKES OF PHONOGRAPHS

CALL AND TRY OUR DELICIOUS

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Beware of Imitations or Just as Good. The Old Reliable Uncle Sam Sheep & Cattle Medicine is not equaled.

Beware of the man selling just as good as Uncle Sam. Imitations or substitutes never give satisfaction.

UNCLE SAM STOCK MEDICINE CO.

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Why man—
we made this
cigarette for you!



CAMELS of your cigarette desires so completely you'll agree they were made to meet your taste!

Unique flavor, fragrance and mellow-mild-body due to Camels quality and expert blend of choice Turkish and choice Domestic tobaccos are a revelation! You will prefer the Camel blend to either kind of tobacco smoked straight!

With Camels you can go the limit without tiring your taste. They leave no unpleasant cigarette after-taste; no unpleasant cigarette odor!

To get a line on why Camels win you so completely compare them puff-for-puff with any cigarette in the world at any price. You'll prefer quality to coupons or premiums!

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